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CL - 04L0186 LISA CARTER

CLAIM OF: BLUE RIDGE GRILL
1261 West Paces Ferry Road
Atlanta, Georgia 30327

04-*R* -0830

For damages alleged to have been sustained during the repair of
a water main on February 29, 2004 at 1261 West Paces Ferry
Road.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: _____

JERRY L. DELOACH
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

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MUNICIPAL CLERK

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT PROTOM

ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFETY &

LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

DATE: 5/11/04

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Blue Ridge Grill
Attn: Laura M. Heckart
1261 West Paces Ferry Rd
Atlanta, GA 30327

04-R-0830

Dear Ms. Heckart:

I sincerely regret that you have been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in your claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your claim at its regular meeting on May 17, 2004. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Yours very truly,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 04L0186

Date: April 27, 2004

Claimant /Victim BLUE RIDGE GRILL

BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.) _____

Address: 1261 West Paces Ferry Road Atlanta, Georgia 30327

Subrogation: _____ Claim for Property damage \$ 3,268.00 Bodily Injury \$ _____

Date of Notice: 03/11/04 Method: Written, proper X Improper _____

Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X

Date of Occurrence 02/29/04 Place: 1261 West Paces Ferry

Department Watershed Management Bureau: Water Division: _____

Employee involved _____ Disciplinary Action: _____

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges that it sustained damages during the repair of a water main at 1261 West Paces Ferry Road. An investigation determined that the repairs to the water main were being made due to a hit and run accident that caused damages to a fire hydrant. Claimant was notified that the water would be shut off for repairs. According to an oral statement by a city employee, the claimant was never advised to close for business. The investigation determined that the cause of the claimant's alleged loss to have been due to the negligence of the driver of the vehicle who struck the fire hydrant. The claimant has been advised to pursue its claim against that party.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee X Claimant _____ Others _____ Written _____ Oral X

Pictures X Diagrams _____ Reports: Police _____ Dept Report X Other _____

Traffic citations issued: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____

Citation disposition: City Driver _____ Claimant Driver _____

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental _____ Ministerial X

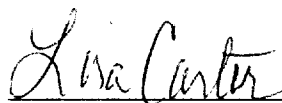
Improper Notice _____ More than Six Months _____ Other X Damages reasonable _____

City not involved _____ Offer rejected _____ Compromise settlement _____

Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. _____ Repair/replacement by City Forces _____

Claimant Negligent _____ City Negligent _____ Joint _____ Claim Abandoned _____

Respectfully submitted,



INVESTIGATOR - LISA CARTER

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ _____ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 _____ 2J01 _____ 2H01 _____

Claims Manager:  Concur/date 04/29/04

Committee Action: _____ Council Action _____

RCS# 5712
5/17/04
2:10 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

CONSENT I PG(S) 1-13 EXCEPT:04-R-0876
04-R-0911 04-R-0835 04-R-0882
ADOPT

YEAS: 13
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 0
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

Y Smith	Y Winslow	Y Shook	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Starnes	Y Archibong	Y Muller	B Maddox	Y Willis
Y Young	Y Fauver	Y Moore	Y Mitchell	

CONSENT I

3-01-04 Council Meeting	
ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT	ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT
1. 04-O-0858 2. 04-O-0869 3. 04-O-0372 4. 04-O-0373 5. 04-O-0641 6. 04-O-0642 7. 04-O-0646 8. 04-O-0648 9. 04-O-0650 10. 04-O-0652 11. 04-O-0653 12. 04-O-0656 13. 04-O-0657 14. 04-O-0874 15. 04-O-0488 16. 04-O-0700 17. 04-O-0872 18. 04-O-0660 19. 04-O-0661 20. 04-O-0873 21. 03-R-2228 22. 04-R-0805 23. 04-R-0806 24. 04-R-0808 25. 04-R-0809 26. 04-R-0822 27. 04-R-0859 28. 04-R-0882 29. 04-R-0889 30. 04-R-0369 31. 04-R-0870 32. 04-R-0876 33. 04-R-0815 34. 04-R-0847 35. 04-R-0862 36. 04-R-0863 37. 04-R-0821 38. 04-R-0807 39. 04-R-0811 40. 04-R-0812	41. 04-R-0813 42. 04-R-0865 43. 04-R-0824 44. 04-R-0825 45. 04-R-0826 46. 04-R-0827 47. 04-R-0828 ITEMS ADVERSED ON CONSENT 48. 04-R-0829 49. 04-R-0830 50. 04-R-0831 51. 04-R-0832 52. 04-R-0833 53. 04-R-0834 54. 04-R-0836 55. 04-R-0837 56. 04-R-0838 57. 04-R-0839 58. 04-R-0840 59. 04-R-0841 60. 04-R-0842 61. 04-R-0843 62. 04-R-0844 63. 04-R-0845 64. 04-R-0846